

## VALENTINES!

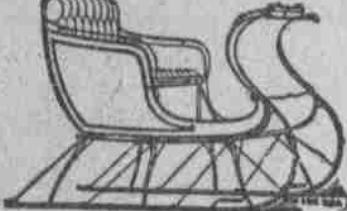
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Saws of all kinds filed and satisfaction guaranteed.

Also circular saws, drag saws and cross cut

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the place 183 Washington street, at end of

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Rickert & Wells' Faith in Hyomei Is So

Strong They Sell It Under Guarantee.

It is one thing to claim, another thing to back up the claim by a statement that, if it is not proven true, there will be no charge for the service or the goods.

It is in this way that Rickert & Wells sell Hyomei, for they have so much faith in its powers to cure all forms of catarrh and bronchial troubles that they give an absolute, unqualified guarantee with every outfit that if the remedy does not cure, the money will be refunded.

Hyomei is based on nature's way of curing catarrh. It contains the concentrated healing oils and gums of the pine woods, prepared in such form that they can be brought into your own home. It gives the health advantages of the Adirondacks in such form that you can be cured of catarrh and affections of the nose, throat and lungs while at home or at work.

A complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1, and extra bottles, if needed, can be obtained for 50c.

With Hyomei you can cure catarrh pleasantly and easily at small expense, with no risk of the treatment costing a penny unless it cures.

## EAST CALAIS

Mrs. D. L. Scott is ill with grippe.

Mrs. Clifton Moore is ill with grippe.

D. D. Lamb was in Hardwick Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Carley is ill with the grippe.

Fred Slayton was in Marshfield Wednesday.

Fred Burnham was in Hardwick on Friday.

Riley Goodall was in Marshfield Wednesday.

Mr. D. L. Scott was in Marshfield on Tuesday.

Frank Grey is ill. Mr. Hall says it is shingles.

D. B. Dwinell was at Woodbury Centre Wednesday.

D. B. Dwinell and Irene were in Montpelier Saturday.

Laura Marsh went to Cabot Tuesday to visit a few days.

Mrs. Russell has returned from her visit to East Montpelier.

Mrs. Annie Pierce returned to her home in Hardwick Sunday.

The auditors met Tuesday and Wednesday at the town clerk's office.

C. R. Dwinell is having the interior of his store painted and papered.

Carrie White went to Montpelier and Barre Tuesday to visit a few days.

Herman Slayton and wife commenced their work for Albert Dwinell Monday.

Franklin Dwinell is visiting his uncle, Frank Dwinell, at Montpelier this week.

Webb Cate, wife and son, of North Montpelier, were in town Sunday visiting.

Frank Dwinell and wife of Montpelier visited his brother C. R. Dwinell Thursday.

A goodly number from here attended the funeral of Cyrus Sprague at his home in Cabot Friday.

Fred Thomas and family of Woodbury were visiting at the home of Arthur George Thursday.

Hiram Smith and wife of Hardwick are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Etta Haskins, at Fred Burnham's.

Glen Burnham and wife were called to Cabot to attend the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Clyde Lane, Thursday.

## CHELSEA.

Miss Gertrude M. Bacon left Tuesday morning for Boston to visit friends.

W. H. Sprague was in Tunbridge on official business on Monday and Wednesday.

D. A. Livingston of Watfield is spending a few days in town the guest of O. W. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Van McAllister of Williamstown visited relatives in town the first of the week.

The patrons of the Orange county creamery were paid 34 cents per pound for their January butter.

Attorney Stanley C. Wilson was in Stratford on legal business Tuesday and in Randolph on Wednesday.

News has been received of the birth of a son to Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Wyckoff of Glastonbury, Conn., who were former residents here. Mr. Wyckoff having had charge of the Congregational parish for two years.

On Wednesday Phillip J. Little, the barber sold out his business to his competitor, W. Hunt, who will continue in the Little shop. Mr. Little the retiring barber has not as yet decided as to his future plans but whatever they may be it is hoped by his hosts of friends that he will remain in town.

## INSOMNIA

"I have been using Cascarets for Insomnia, with which I have been afflicted for over twenty years, and I have been cured. Cascarets has given me more relief than any other remedy I have ever tried. I shall certainly recommend them to my friends as being all they are represented to be."

Thos. Gillard, Elgin, Ill.

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Best For The Bowels

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THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, Do Good, Never Sicken, Weaken or Grippe. No. 10, 2nd St., Barre, Vt.

ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

## Page's Perfected Poultry Food

may be obtained at the following:

Huntington & Eastman, Washington.

H. O. Kent, Montpelier, Vt.

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Luther P. Right, W. Topsham.

John Cummings, Westerville.

C. C. Robie, E. Barre.

E. D. Battlett, Plainfield.

We want agents in every village where our poultry food is not sold. If it is not on sale in your village we will send you, freight prepaid, a 125-pound sack for \$4.00, or a 60-pound sack for \$2.00.

CARROLL S. PAGE,

Hyde Park, Vermont.

## THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1907.

## Nobody Knows What's Going to

happen, but those who insure with us know what won't happen. 38th year.

The National Life Insurance Company of Vermont (mutual). Organized in 1850. S. S. Ballard, General Agent, N. B. Ballard, Local Agent, Rooms 2 and 3, Miles Block, Barre, Vt.

## TALK OF THE TOWN.

Stone cutters' dust protectors at L. P. Austin's, the watch and clock man.

In the D. M. Miles block there is a tenement to rent; vacant February 1.

Old gold and silver wanted at refiners, prices in exchange for goods at F. E. Burr's.

L. P. Austin sells stone cutters' glasses, all kinds and prices. From 20c to \$2.00 each.

Stone-cutters' glasses, 50c per pair. Lenses, per pair, 5c. F. E. Burr & Co., 85 North Main street.

Office up one flight in L. M. Averill's block; large center room with three large windows; to rent. L. M. Averill.

A supper, "The Feast of the Five Tables," will be given by the young ladies of the Methodist Sunday school at the church Friday evening, February 22d. Everyone is invited. Do not forget the date.

I veterani ultra cinquantenni sono invitati ad una riunione importantissima che si terrà Domeico doppiopiano 17 corrente in Casa Cardì, 15 Central street. L'Avanzo netto della festa da ballo Pro Vecchi fu di \$53.30 depositati alla Barre Savings bank.

Lavoratori, questa sera, giovedì, alle ore 7 precise, al Miles' hall, avrà luogo un grande comizio per discutere delle elezioni e dei pirati. Sarà concessa libertà di parola e di contraddizione a tutti, anche ai pirati. Contiamo sul vostro numeroso intervento.

Tickets for the University club banquet to be held in the parlors of the Congregational church next Friday evening can be secured of the following: O. K. Hollister, R. S. Currier, O. D. Mathewson, R. F. Lowe or D. H. Perry. An enjoyable evening is assured.

## A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 20-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

RED CROSS PHARMACY. E. A. DROWN, C. H. KENDRICK & CO., D. F. DAVIS, F. A. ANDERSON, J. A. McARTHUR, W. H. MILES & CO., J. A. CUMMIS, J. C. HOWARD, J. W. FAIRBANKS.

## Notice to the Public.

C. C. Rollins, who has been in the employ of the Morrison farm is no longer employed by them from this date, February 18.

B. M. Nute, Supt. of Morrison farm.

Can't look well, get well or feel well with impure blood feeling your body. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply, take exercise, keep clean and you will have long life.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rashes sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Doan's Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer? All druggists sell it.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's Regulents. They operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep."—Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Hamburg, N. Y.

## Neighbors Get Fooled.

"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed and neighbors predicted that I would never leave it alive. But they got fooled, for, thanks be to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one-dollar bottles to completely cure the cough and restore me to good, sound health." writes Mrs. Eva Uncepher of Grovetown, Stark county, Ind. This king of cough and cold cures and healer of throat and lungs is guaranteed by the Red Cross pharmacy. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

## SOUTH BARRE.

Miss Jennie Hall is working for Mrs. Eli Drury.

Mr. Frank Wallace, who has been ill, is improving.

Cas. Persons has a very nice colt that he offers for sale.

Mr. Clark has moved into Mrs. Bancroft's house on Church street.

It is reported that John McLeod is to move his family to Granville soon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward, who have been visiting in Chelsea, have returned home.

Will Nye has bought one of George Wales' horses to use on his delivery team.

Mr. Woodruff of East Barre has moved to the place he recently purchased from Mr. Waterman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lewis have gone to Williamstown to visit their daughter, Mrs. George Patterson.

## Who Will Claim Them?

Letters remaining unclaimed for at the Barre postoffice for the week ending February 21, 1907:

Men.—John Adams, Antonio Burgess, James Curtis, Albert Chamberlain, Mr. Chamberlain, W. M. Dudge, R. Foster, A. C. Greenfield, Ed. Gill, Fred Hanson, James Hines, James House, J. F. Jeanmott, Wilber Lural, C. Morgan, D. J. Phelps, George R. Richardson, George C. Rowell, H. C. Smalley.

Women.—Anna Seeger, Oia Cunningham, Sophie Campbell, Katherine Dumas, Ruth Edwards, Harriet Hood, Zella D. Hill, Mrs. Angeline Jones, Mrs. Louisa Janeson, Harriet Willard, Mrs. Reuben Wilcox.



## The Times' Daily Short Story.

### TRAVERS & CO.

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The mercantile house of Travers & Co., New York, had a branch in Paris for twenty years, when Travers himself, after looking over old accounts, noticed something wrong.

The next steamer sailing for Havre carried with her Thomas Agnew, the firm's bookkeeper. He was provided with all proper credentials, and his instructions were to give the Paris books a thorough overhauling. He was to interview the head of the French firm first. This he did soon after reaching Paris.

"I hardly expected you, but I am glad that you are here," was his greeting. "It is true that the business has fallen off, and it has been a source of anxiety to me. We seem to be doing as much as ever, but the sales show less and less. I cannot suspect any of the employees. The bookkeeper is the only one who could juggle the figures, and he is probably itself. He has been with us for ten years past and is as steady as a church. I might as well suspect myself."

"Nevertheless, if there is anything wrong it must be in his department," suggested Agnew.

There were two or three interviews, and then it was suggested that Dubois, which was the name of the bookkeeper, be given leave of absence for a couple of weeks. He refused to take it. Then Agnew cabled for instructions and was told to go ahead. He was taken to the office and introduced and his errand stated. To his agreeable disappointment Dubois gave him a cordial welcome and offered every assistance in his power. He would be only too glad to have his books looked over and verified. His frankness and eagerness were a setback to Agnew, but a day was appointed for the commencement of the work. No man could have set out to render himself more agreeable than the French bookkeeper did.

His first invited Agnew to his home to dinner. It was a modest little cottage, plainly furnished and evidently economically managed. There were a wife and two children, and the family appeared to be happy and contented.

Agnew had made up his mind that Dubois was certainly living on his income and was a man of steady habits when his wife happened to mention during the momentary absence of the husband that she would be entirely happy if Claude did not have to remain at the office so late three or four nights in the week. As a matter of fact, the office always closed at 5:30 p. m., and Agnew was made uneasy by the remarks. Dubois made arrangements to show the American certain sights the next evening, and they were together for several hours. At a cafe where they stopped for a last drink, Agnew, who had taken very little during the evening and who called for a mild glass on this occasion, suddenly found the room whirling round and round with him and finally pitched forward on the floor and became unconscious.

When he came to some time during the next day he was ill and found that he had been robbed and was clothed in the garb of a workman. He was also a prisoner in a cellar so dark that he could not see across it. There were

a pitcher of water and a loaf of bread beside him. He drank of the water and slept for hours.

When he awoke again the effects of the drug were gone, and he explored his prison, to discover that it had only one small window, and that looked out on a back yard and was heavily barred. There had been stairs leading up to a door, but they had been removed. No sounds reached him from above, and the noises from the street were muffled.

An hour later a man thrust a ladder down and brought more bread and water. He was armed with a knife and refused to answer any questions. The American coaxed, threatened and tried to bribe, but the man was firm. Three times a day for the next ten days he brought bread and water, but never anything else. Then one evening he left the ladder behind him when he ascended, as if by an oversight, and after waiting for an hour Agnew crept up, to find the door open. He had no trouble in leaving the house, which was without tenants and situated in a slum street. The man hadn't a penny in money, and his suit was old and ragged. When he accepted a gentleman he was ordered to move on. He moved on and told his story again and again and at length was arrested and locked up. In the morning the police judge was about to commit Agnew as a vagrant when he asked that the head of the firm be sent for. This was done, and of course the prisoner was soon at liberty. He could not guide the police to the street where he had been held prisoner, but a visit to the home of Dubois explained everything. He had abandoned his family eight days previously. In a day or two it was shown that for five years he had maintained three separate establishments, and in two of them he had passed for a single man. Instead of being a man of steady habits, he was a regular rouler. Instead of being a man of probity, a brief examination of his books showed that he had stolen \$30,000 from the firm in six years. Had an expert been put on his books at any time his frauds must have been discovered in half a day.

It took the police a couple of weeks to secure a clew, but the embezzler was finally followed to South Africa and up the country to the diamond mines. When arrested he was all bravado, but three days later he committed suicide under the officer's nose, and the case against him was closed.

M. QUAD.

## STATE LINES.

The projected 500 mile canal in Florida would convert 6,500,000 acres of swamp into fertile land.

There are now 103 counties wholly under the local option law in Texas, and forty-nine others are partially so, making a total of 152 out of 230.

Through the enforcement of the most rigorous inspection laws Arizona keeps above the live stock "dead line" and is permitted to ship cattle to any part of the United States at any season of the year.

Addison's Wife.

Addison's wife, the famous Countess Dowager of Warwick, would not allow him to go to the inn at all unless he sat by the window, where he was in plain view from her front room. Every absence from his post had